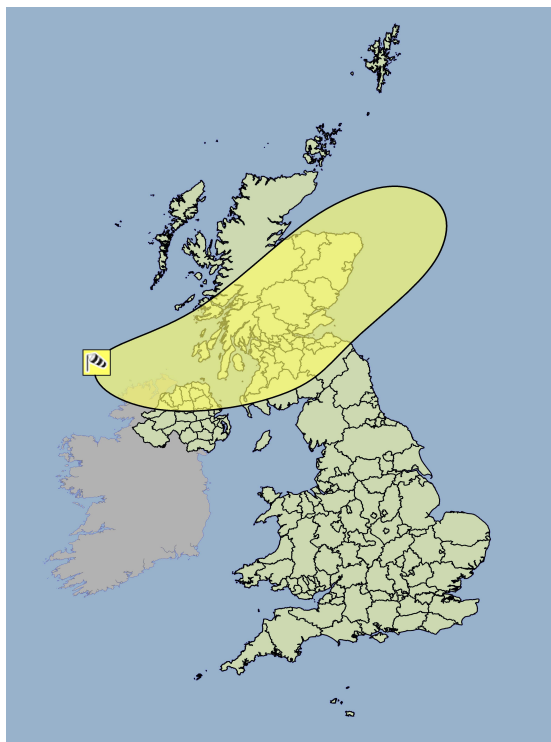




## National Severe Weather Warning Service



### Chief Forecasters Assessment

A vigorous depression is expected to develop over the Atlantic during Thursday in association with a very strong jet stream. The depression is likely to run rapidly east northeast to pass northern Scotland early on Friday bringing a brief period of very strong winds to many northern areas of Britain. At present there remains some uncertainty in the precise track and depth of this depression and therefore the exact strength and location of the strongest winds. As such, the situation remains somewhat uncertain and the public should keep up to date with the latest warnings.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert of Wind**

Valid from **00:05 on Fri, 09th Jan 2015** until **12:00 on Fri, 09th Jan 2015**

A vigorous depression is expected to run rapidly east, passing northern Scotland early on Friday. This is likely to give a period of very strong westerly winds across much of Scotland and northern parts of Northern Ireland. Gusts of 60-70 mph are likely quite widely, but winds should quickly ease from the west in the morning.

The public should be aware of the potential for disruption to transport.

**For more details please go to:**

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